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In re application of : Nathaniel Heard  
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Examiner : Geoffrey L Knable  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the Office Action dated October 7, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.